To My Son

Let others write their poetry

I have You.

On the floor.

And paint their pictures too; Let others create music-

While some are making verses And stories by the score,

I play with blocks and marbles

According to God's plan.

My masterpiece-a Man!

Then may He smile and find com-

-Helen Fairchild Morley, in Col-

TING WITH DAUGHTERS AT MUST BE FACED BY ALL

Is a Circle, and the Child That Leaves Is Later the other Who Begins to Understand-An Answer Given to a Reader With an Ache in Her Heart

AVE a letter before me from a ther. A long letter filled with love women. One gives and gets. It's a trade. That's all very well in its to marry a man who will take in thousand miles away. Nearly the world away from her.

letter asks:

ave I the right to object? It
may that I will not see her for years

Perhaps hever. Can you imwhat this means to her father
me? She is our only child! Our
bas been built around her and it
to been an easy life. But that
it he question. We don't begrudge
regret any of the sacrifices we
do to have her jurn out the fine
i and she loves us. Yet she wants
go. I know how very much she
ants to go, but she offers to stay
ause she knows it is breaking our
arts. Have I the right to ask her to ta. Have I the right to ask her to Mrs. K.

magazines this month an author something. Mrs. K., that will p me to answer you. The story is ut a widow mother who scrubbed put her boy through medical school. After all," he says, "years to a ther are sometimes what they are God—a thousand of them can be as tay."

I HAVE been telling you, Mrs. K., in perhaps not so many words, to let that daughter go without reaching out your arms to hold her back. It is part of the game that each should live her own life. Now that works both ways. She is going forth to live hers. You must now begin to live yours.

T'S TIME TO STORE

brought to light some bags which have an made to hold heavy suits and couts. If not only do they keep them in good ordition, and prevent that excessive using and wrinkling, but also being

dy permeated thoroughly with tar

ar Madam-a good little puppy, dear dog-loving

with my brothers and fortunate

m not to be given away.

I with my brothers and fortunate of there
o so to the old U. S. A.

saloy a nice home with small boys or without 'em.

sore likable chaps of a breed (though some doubt 'en').

can love be not measure.

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the result for the trenches,

so gus blenches.

Its proud of the part we're to play.

so stad that you're living
sot overy week siving

so to the dos that must stay.

to the dos that must stay.

to be pups that are folkless

we're live the say.

to make brighter.

without delay
of make brighter;

without delay
of thanks now to you, ma'am,

tal you are doing this way.

of Jankee. a Doberman - Pinscher.

a deeply grateful for the of a fond mistress that at the end. Perhaps the like to know that Teddy wn paw signed an inky to his poem!

Poem for Little Girl

O AND BUMMER

ADVENTURES WITH A PURSE

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

Letters and questions submitted to this department must be written on one side of oper only and signed with the name of the writer. Special queries like those given or invested, it is understood that the cilior does not necessarily indoorse the sentiment and the communications for this department should be addressed as follows: THE ANSE XCHANGE, Evening Public Ledger, Philadelphia, Pa.

It's a thing of God and I lie awake at night and stretch out my hands in the darkness to this lad who will never know until his sons come in their turn."

That's the way it is. Life is a circle. Our sons and daughters never know until their sons and daughters come in turn. And here's the other part. Every mother who has an ache in her heart when her daughter leaves was come and daughter, berself who was once a daughter herself who "didn't know." And so goes the circle. Once coming into the life of each woman the Godlike love of children!

That means a great deal more than it the words say, Mrs. K. At least for the words say, Mrs. K. At least for it is consistent from all other rese but God's. It is Godlike between it is unselfish.

And so from the beginning good of hers have built their lives around in years of little ones and then sat the parent love is like that. It is what you are going to do, too. Its. K. Parent love is like that. It is uses and argues, but in the end it tives in.

IPE is a circle. If this were not it true sometimes it would seem unter that parents on the whole give in much and ask so little.

To live yours.

You are a specialist at mothering. There are soldier boys to be worked for. There are little garbovs to be worked for. There are little children in the slums crying out for attention. There are little garbovs to be worked for. There are soldier boys to b

or cedar, they do away with the neces-sity for using camphor balls. These bags are made of a heavy dur-

For the names of shops where articles mentioned in "Adventures With a Purse" can be purchased, address Editor of Woman's Page Events: Funce Labelta, or phone the Woman's Depart-ment, Wainut 3009.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS

white.
White in place of the usual yellow laundry soap made at home from fats can be produced by many naprelal heand of lye. The name of this will be furnished if n self-addressed stamped envelope in sent to the editor of the

Wants to Keep Fit

To the Editor of Woman's Page:

THE ORIGINATOR OF "MOTHER'S DAY"



Miss Anna Jarvis, of 2031 North Twelfth street, the founder of Mother's Day, who urges that thrift stamps be worn in place of the customary carnation in celebration of the day this year

"HANDS ACROSS THE SEA" TO CLASP IN HER MEMORY

Mother's Day, Next Sunday, First Joint International CelebraCurtis Auditorium this afternoon. They such as hats, shoes, collars and gloves—
tion—War-Savings Stamps Instead of Floral Tribute

attended the wheatless session in the curtis Auditorium this afternoon. They such as hats, shoes, collars and gloves—
that the success of her costume rises or that the succ

Is Proposal

INDUSTRY'S DOORS WIDE OPEN:

Woman's Council of National Defense for Philadelphia Issues

Appeal for Hundreds of Workers Wanted for Well-

Paying Places Here and Abroad

"Three sorts of service are asked for those on child welfare, housing and boarding houses for gras, all under the country who have had canteen experience in this country."

under ward and block leaders.

WOMEN'S OPPORTUNITY BIG

who have had canteen experience in this country. They must bear their

Must Admit to Twenty-five Years

"Clerical service is needed. The women must be more than twenty-five years and have certificates of professional ability. They are paid expenses.

"A third group of women for social service must speak French fluently and have had training in social service. They

may be volunteers or may be paid ex-

"I want a cook for Cow Island. A small party of campers ask that she be good looking, and they will pay any salary.
"A woman whose husband is in the

"A woman whose husband is in the service wants a beautiful and accompilated girl with a social i stinct as a companion.

"There is a request for a woman chaufeur and a big demand for trained social workers for companions, nurses and mothers' heirers.

"We have sent women to make gas masks in the Scott Paper Company's plant and to work in the Moore Push Pin and the Quaker robe factories during the last week. A large work is done by the barses of resistration in recommend-

own expenses.

Wants to Keep Fit

To the Editor of Woman's Page:

Dear Madam—Will you be so seed as to help me? At present I am obliged to work a little beyond my strength and a nurse suggests "an alcohol rub" to help keep me in condition. She is very uncertain as to the kind of alcohol. Should it be grain alcohol and of what strength? I am unable to get any that has not been denatured with wood, alcohol. Is not this injurious to the eyes.

What I want is something to "brace" me after the daily hath, as I no longer react well to either hot or cold ones.

I should be very grateful for this information or for the name of a book that gives practical suggestions on "keeping fit."

It is impossible to get any 100 percent pure alcohol that has been manufactured since September 8, 1917, when the new distiller regulations to save grain went into effect. The alcohol which is manufactured for medicinal purposes is, however, not diluted with wood alcohol, but with formaldehyde, to camphor or something to "spoil" the alcohol to prevent its being taken as a beverage. The pure grain or beverage alcohol manufactured before this date is still sold in some of the drug stores, but it costs twice as much to buy as the other. You are right, wood alcohol is wery injurious to the eyes.

The stronger the alcohol the more toning it is to the system. Get the highest strength. I am sending you the names of some books that have helped other persons to the road of keeping fit.

War Work for High School Graduste

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MOTHER'S DAY this year will be observed in a joint international celebration for the first time in history, and, because of the many mothers whose hearts are with their "boys" in trench and turret, its observance will hold a deeper significance.

Next Sunday, May 12, in France and supposed to the properties of the proposed table conference is the third of a series that began Monday. It was held from 2 until 5 o'clock. The wheatless lessons that began Monday. It was held from 2 until 5 o'clock. The wheatless lessons will occur these same hours the remaining days of the week.

And for the first time in history, war times will affect the routine of observance of the many mothers whose thearts are with their "boys" in trench and turret, its observance will hold a deeper significance.

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For this summer the fashion dictate is white or tan gloves, with strong emphasis on the white, for that is about all one sees these days. The white will one sees these days and one or two button lengths.

For this s

PHILADELPHIA JACKIES BEST COOKS, SAYS U. S. N.

Three Assist Mrs. Wilson in Wheatless

Demonstrations "Philadelphia boys are the best cooks in the navy. They didn't say so, but when an S O S comes from somewhere on the ocean for a chef invariably the little hint follows, "and if you can, send

us one from Philadelphia." Three of these best-ever kitchen artists are assisting Mrs. M. A. Wilson, the Public Ledger food economist, in her daily wheatless demonstrations in the Curtis Building Auditorium. And the above information leaked out yesterday afternoon while the blushing jackies pre-sided at the mixing bowl.

Mrs. Wilson, who is United States naval instructor of cookery in parts about Philadelphia, did not claim the credit.

"Any one can be a good cook," she "who is exact about her-that is,

known have been equipped with "Mrs. ments, but offtimes the little things near the heat. After drying, you will

table conference is the third of a series times quite troublesome.

WINTER CLOTHES

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the Problem

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atter coats and sults, and stowing
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Barley Spice Cake

One-half cupful fat, two-thirds cupful sugar, one cupful corn syrup, six teaspoonsful baking powder, one-quarter teaspoonful sait, I teaspoonful cinnamon, three eggs, three-quarter cupful milk, one teaspoonful vanilla, one-half teaspoonful ginger, one-half teaspoonful cloves, one teaspoonful alispice, three and three-quarter cupfuls barley flour, one cup raisins.

Cream the fat, sugar, and egg yolka. Add the syrup and mix well. Add alternately the liquid, and the dry ingredients sifted together. Add the flavoring and fold in the well beaten egg whites. Bake for one hour in a moderate oven.

Several hundred women from this construction, 717 North Broad street, to learn drafting, blue-print reading, skill with the instruments of precision, technical parts of an airtiplane for Philadelphia, 1607 tipnal Defense for Philadelphia, 1607 lipnal Defense for Philadelphia and lipnal Philadelphia li TODAY'S INQUIRIES That bereas in Washington is puriteusiarily in need of college women just new to take the injure of men who established the "Lighthouse" for the men bilinded in buffle. It is in Farls, and since its establishment more than about beining the women's reconstruction units to do work amount disabled in buffle. It is in Farls, and since its establishment more than about we here saved from despair; some partitive in units to do work amount disabled in buffle. It is in Farls, and since its establishment more than about we here saved from despair; some partitive in the control of the French executive in India to do work amount disabled in buffle. It is in Farls, and since its establishment more than about we here saved from despair; some partitive in the control of the French executive in India to do work amount disabled in buffle in the control of the French executive in India to do work amount and wants to look in India to do work amount of the French executive in India to do work amount disabled the "Lighthouses" for the control of the French executive comment for war work. "We placed 201 women last week," was placed 201 women last week," although I understand that St. Louis has an airplane defense corps of 100 women. A save entered all rorts of paid and voluntian service. The are rouke? From a Dog in the Service The Editor of Woman's Proge: The

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White and Tan Gloves Lead

A Daily Fashion Telk by Florence Rose



Fashion embroiders the gloves this season. Three of those shown here tell just how. As for the rest, the gauntlets in the center are of soft white kid, with insets and spans of tan, and the white kid gloves on the left have the smart turnback cuffs in black

WHAT shall I wear?" is a questand to wash them just as one would do tion not by any means confined without the gloves, with a good soap to dresses and suits, for many women lather. When clean, do not rinse, but to dresses and suits, for many women fill with air and haring up to dry—not find it easy enough to settle upon garprove the stumbling blocks. For every find, by working the kid a little, that Thirty-five teachers of domestic science in the Philadelphia public schools attended the wheatless session in the lizes that it is upon the accessories ols woman who knows clothes at all real- the gloves will come out as good and

The manufacturers of gloves have the other three pairs show odd em done all within their power to make the broideries used to trim the gibves.

or two button lengths.

done all within their power to make the white glove practical by giving us a white glazed glove that can be washed with soap and water. When one knows the recipe, the result is most satisfactory.

I have been told by the makers of these gloves that the correct way to wash them is to put them on the hand

Food Crank or Slacker?

Scoper or later some housewife will oats, corn or rice because these cereals have wheat.

You may be sure you are right if you brand such people as food cranks

Oats, corn and rice are as wholesome in every way as wheat, and the complaint. "They don't agree with me, I must have wheat," is usually a camouflage of our own selfishness. What we really mean to say is, "I like wheat better. It makes lighter bread than the other cereals and it keeps moist and sweet longer."

sweet longer."

Now, no one will deny that all these are attributes of wheat bread. It is because of them, in fact, that we want to send our wheat abread, so that our soldiers and the Allies may have the bread they need. Surely we who are left behind the battlefield should be glad to do anything we can to relieve the burdens of those suffering hardships we cannot imagine.

It we grant that saying food is a

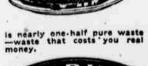
If we grant that saving food is a military measure, we should consider ourselves under military orders, and there should be no half-way means.

It should be no half-way means.

It should be our first duty to carry out as orders the suggestions of the food administration. There should be no slacking. And as good soldiers we should strive not only to do our duty, but more than our duty.

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